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**KENDU LEARNING CENTRE**

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**COURSE CODE: EEC 3316**

**COURSE TITLE: MATHEMATICS CURRICULUM, INSTRUCTION AND  
ASSESSMENT**

**EXAM VANUE:**

**STREAM BED (ECD)**

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**EXAM SESSION:**

**TIME:**

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1) Answer question ONE (COMPULSORY) and ANY other TWO questions**
- 2) Candidates are advised NOT to write on the question paper.**
- 3) Candidates MUST hand in their booklets to the invigilator while in the examination room**

## QUESTION ONE

- a) Define the following terms; (6marks)
- i. Curriculum
  - ii. Mathematics
  - iii. Assessment
- b) State the objectives of teaching and learning mathematics curriculum and assessment in pre - school. (5marks)
- c) Describe the purpose of assessment in mathematics curriculum and assessment (6marks)
- d) Describe the four domains of curriculum (8marks)
- e) Highlight components of a scheme of work in mathematics at preschool level. (5marks)

## QUESTION TWO

Discuss how mathematics can be incorporated in activity areas learnt in preschool. (20 marks)

## QUESTION THREE

- a) Describe the types of instructional materials used in teaching mathematics in preschool (10 marks)
- b) Describe the importance of planning for mathematics in preschool (10 marks)

## QUESTION FOUR

Discuss Piaget's and Brunner's theories and their implications in teaching and learning mathematics in preschool (20 marks).

## QUESTION FIVE

- a) Discuss mathematic concepts suitable for a preschool child (10 marks)
- b) From the concepts above, describe suitable activities for each (10 marks)